November 17, 2003

Michigan Supreme Court Clerk P.O. Box 30052 Lansing, MI 48909

RE: Court Rule No. 2003-47

Dear Supreme Court Justices:

This letter is to notify you of our opposition to the proposed Court Rule No. 2003-47, two items to note are:

- a) The Michigan Constitution as well as the United States Constitution makes it clear that judges are not to make the law but rather interpret the law. Why is the Michigan Supreme Court even considering taking steps that would effectively change the law by denying Michigan asbestos disease victims their right to a jury trial.
- b) It seems that Michigan and the Michigan Supreme Court are being used as tools of the asbestos industry and big business to deny working people their constitutional rights to jury trials when harmed by corporate misconduct.

Very truly yours,

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